

FLATHEAD COUNTY BOARD OPPORTUNITIES

Agency on Aging Advisory Council

The Agency on Aging's Advisory Council is charged with helping further the Agency's efforts to develop and coordinate community-based systems of services for older persons in Flathead County. The Council shall advise the Agency relative to reviewing and commenting on community policies, programs and actions which affect older persons with the intent of assuring maximum coordination and responsiveness to older persons.

- **Four 3-year terms through December 31, 2023**

Airport Authority Board

The Airport Authority Board has seven members that provide for the planning, acquisition, purchase, establishment, development, improvement, maintenance, equipment, operation, regulation, protection, and policing of the airports and air navigation facilities.

- **One 5-year term through December 31, 2025**

Animal Shelter Advisory Committee

The Animal Shelter Advisory Committee is made up of five Flathead County citizens that advise the Flathead City-County Board of Health concerning issues regarding control of stray dogs and cats and operation of the Animal Shelter.

- **Two 3-year terms through December 31, 2023**

Blacktail Television District Board

The Blacktail Television District provides broadcast services to both Flathead and Lake Counties. The Board is composed of three members serving three-year terms. The current open position is for a Flathead County resident residing within the Blacktail TV District boundaries.

- **One 3-year term through December 31, 2023**

Compensation Board

The Compensation Board prepares a compensation schedule for the elected County officials, including the County Attorney, for the succeeding fiscal year.

- **One 3-year term through December 31, 2023**

Emergency Medical Services Administrative Board

This Board is adopts rules for the provision of emergency medical services, creating response jurisdictions within the County district, and appointing / contracting with an ambulance service and a medical director. The Board also has the authority to define levels of care within each response unit, to set budgets, and to manage and distribute funds.

- **One 3-year term through December 31, 2023**

Fair Commission

The Commission shall be responsible to hold an annual Fair in Kalispell, Montana and to engage in the maximum use of facilities by activities furthering the development of the Fairgrounds for public use, thereby promoting agricultural, educational, business, and cultural growth of Flathead County and surrounding counties in northwest Montana.

- **Two 2-year terms through December 31, 2022**

Fairview Cemetery District Board

The Fairview Cemetery District Board maintains the cemetery within the District, holds title to property by grant, gift, devise, lease or any other method, and performs all acts necessary to managing the selling or leasing of burial lots.

- **One 3-year term through December 31, 2023**

Fire Service Area Advisory Board

This board provides recommendations to the Board of County Commissioners regarding the management of the Flathead County Fire Service Area. There is representation on the board from across the County, including the North Fork and Middle Fork regions, areas west of Kalispell, the County at Large, and a member currently in a firefighting role.

- **One 3-year term until December 31, 2023 for a Middle Fork Representative**

Flathead City-County Board of Health

The City-County Board of Health shall exercise general supervision over the City-County Health Department, including the destruction and removal of all sources of filth which cause disease and the inspection of public establishments for sanitary conditions. The Board administratively adopts necessary regulations that are not less stringent than the State standards for the control and disposal of sewage from private and public buildings.

- **One 3-year term through December 31, 2023**

Flathead County Economic Development Authority Board

The Economic Development Authority is comprised of seven residents that explore economic development opportunities to stimulate commerce, support employment, advance local commerce, and strengthen the Flathead County tax base.

- **Two 5-year terms through December 31, 2025**

Solid Waste District Board

The Board of Directors of the Flathead County Solid Waste District provides environmentally sound and cost-effective refuse collection, disposal, and recycling opportunities for Flathead County residents and businesses.

- **Two 3-year terms through December 31, 2023**

Swan Hill Television District Board

The Swan Hill TV District Board's objectives are to construct, maintain, and operate a television translator system to rebroadcast Channel 13, KMSO (originating in Missoula County, Montana) and such other channels as may hereafter be available to persons residing in the rural area around Swan River and Swan Lake in both Lake and Flathead Counties. The Committee is composed of three members residing within the Swan Hill TV District boundaries.

- **One 3-year term through December 31, 2023**

Tax Appeal Board

The mission of the Tax Appeal Board is the timely resolution of tax appeals concerning real and personal property, income, corporate, natural resource, centrally assessed property, and new industry taxes. The Tax Appeal Board is a three member, independent review board and is separate from the Department of Revenue.

- **One 3-year term through December 31, 2023**

Technical Advisory Committee

The purpose of the Committee is to coordinate transportation planning and to recommend project needs and priorities to the Flathead County Commissioners, the Kalispell City Council, and the Montana Department of Transportation regarding local objectives, community values, community goals and policies to guide development. This Committee provides professional and technical considerations involved in plans and decisions and guidance on long and short range plans and programs for development of the area.

- **One 2-year term through December 31, 2022**

Transportation Advisory Committee

The Transportation Advisory Board assists the Agency on Aging in cooperatively assessing and prioritizing local transportation needs and identifying opportunities for community collaboration and coordination to help the Agency achieve more cost-effective service delivery, increase capacity to serve unmet needs, improve quality of service, and ensure services are easily understood and accessed by riders.

- **Three 3-year terms through December 31, 2023**

Weed and Parks Board

The Weed & Parks Board is responsible for the administration of the Flathead County Weed District and Parks & Recreation Department, including budgeting, staffing, purchasing, programming, maintaining, and making recommendations to the County Commissioners.

- **Two 3-year terms through December 31, 2023**

Woodlawn Cemetery District Board

The members of the Woodlawn Cemetery District Board must reside within the District's boundaries and are assigned the responsibility of administration and maintenance of the Woodlawn Cemetery.

- **Two 3-year terms through December 31, 2023**

All positions are appointed by the Flathead County Board of Commissioners and will begin on January 1, 2021. Letters of interest must be received by **5:00 PM** on **November 13, 2020**.

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